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Pricedale Italians Receive Black Hand Letters

TWO FROM MONESSEN

Postmark Shows Where Missives Were Mailed—Recipients Not Frightened

Hotel men living in the vicinity of Pricedale have been receiving much dreaded Black Hand letters. Peter Veschio, brother of Ralph Veschio, proprietor of the International hotel, who works at the hotel has received three letters. Silas Nadero, who conducts a private boarding house at Pricedale has also received one. Demands are for \$2,000.

Peter Veschio received the first letter about six weeks ago, it came through the mail and the postmark showed that it was mailed in Pittsburgh. The next one was received about two weeks later and was postmarked Monessen, the third one was received last week, and it was also from Monessen.

Mr. Veschio stated this morning that he had not reported the matter to the authorities, that he was not frightened by the letters, and did not intend paying any attention to them. He said that the two letters from Monessen appeared to be written by the same person, but the Pittsburgh letter was written by some other person. The letters were in Italian.

AUTO RACES TO TAKE PLACE AT BELLE VERNON

Preparations are being perfected for automobile races to be held on the Belle Vernon race track labor day, Monday, September 7. It is said that some speedy races will be pulled off and that some noted drivers will be present. It is expected that Bob Barnum's car will be there for the races.

DEMOCRATIC MEETING AT CHARLEROI FRIDAY EVENING

At 7 O'clock Some of the Best Speakers of the State Will Address Voters

Hon. Vance C. McCormick, Democratic Candidate for Governor.

Hon. A. Mitchell Palmer, Democratic Candidate for U. S. Senate.

Hon. Wm. J. McNair, Democratic Candidate for Secretary of Internal Affairs.

Hon. M. J. Caton, Democratic Candidate for Congress at Large.

Sam A. Barnum, Democratic Candidate for Congress.

Jos. W. Stewart, Democratic and Washington Candidate for State Senate.

All of the above men will be here and deliver addresses. A 50c supper will be served at Hotel Charleroi just before the speaking. Music by the Charleroi Concert Band. Every voter is most sincerely invited to come and hear the best speakers in the state discuss the issues of the campaign.

Moxley's Best Butterine, five pound one dollar at Clark's Grocery, Fifth street and Washington avenue. Charleroi.

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Contracts Approved

Public Service Commission Passes Judgement on Valley Facts

Two contracts for Monongahela valley concerns were approved by the Public Service Commission, at Harrisburg, Thursday. One of them was the contract of the Pittsburg and Charleroi Street Railways company with Speers borough. It relates to the alteration of the course of the tracks and line in Speers borough made necessary by changes in the public road there.

The other contract was one between the borough of West Brownsville and the Monongahela Southern Traction company. The company proposes to put through an electric railway line from California to Brownsville.

LABOR DAY PROGRAM PREPARED

Many Candidates to Speak at Eldora Park on Monday

LABOR LEADERS COMING

The program for speaking to take place at Eldora park on Labor day has been prepared, as well as a list of contestants of a various nature. The first speaker of the day will be Hugh McLaughlin, of Monongahela, who was the first president in this district of the United Mine Workers.

McLaughlin will speak at 11 o'clock in the morning. J. W. Stewart, of Greene county, a state senate candidate, will be the second speaker, and will be followed by Percy Tetlow, and then in order will come Judge Robert W. Irwin, ex-Lieutenant Governor William M. Brown, of New Castle, who is the Republican candidate for Congress and Congressman Henry W. Temple. John J. Oates, of Charleroi is to be the chairman of the meeting.

Prizes on Display
Look for the prizes on display in Piper's Pharmacy to be awarded at the Labor Day demonstration Monday at Eldora park.

Evans Opening
of new Fall millinery. 323 McKean avenue.

See "Across the Border" at the Palace theatre Saturday. Two lives were sacrificed in the making of this amazing picture.

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NEW INDUSTRY FOR CHARLEROI POSSIBLE

Committee Appointed From Charleroi Business Men's Association to Visit Pittsburg Manufacturers and Invite Them

Charleroi may have a new industry proposed industry. They believe that in the near future. At a meeting of the Charleroi business men's association Thursday night the following men: John B. Schafer, Burgess S. L. Woodward and Councilman D. R. Duval, were appointed as a committee to visit Pittsburg and interview the promoters of a small industry which is said to be favorable to locating in this locality.

The business men are not ready at this time to make any announcement but no action was taken in any of as to the size or nature of the new them.

CANADA HARD HIT BY EUROPEAN WAR

Charles S. VanVoorhis Tells of Financial Conditions There—Saw Famous Regiment Leave for Seat of War

Business conditions are bad in Canada owing to the war in which its mother country abroad is engaged, according to Charles S. VanVoorhis, who with Mrs. VanVoorhis returned this morning from there. The only loans being made by the Canadian banks are to the farmers to enable them to move their crops. England believe that eventually the States will take an active part in the war.

While Mr. and Mrs. VanVoorhis were in Toronto, the 48th Highlanders, a regiment that is numbered among the finest in all Canada, departed for the scene of war. There were 2,500 fine looking men with the regiment. Others will follow.

CONFISCATED WEIGHTS AT COUNTY FAIR

An interesting and much visited exhibit at the county fair at Washington is the display of confiscated weights and measures of the county. The exhibit occupies the entire southeastern corner of the large floral hall. Here are to be found upwards of 5,000 pieces of weighing and measuring apparatus placed in artistic fashion and carefully arranged. Large placards bearing needful admonitions to those using weights and measures bedeck the booth upon two sides. The exhibit consists of scales, measures, weights and all apparatus used generally in a commercial store.

The bottom row of the display is made up of dry measures, combination, bottomless and single. In this group are to be found "phony" sets nearly twenty-five per cent short used by hucksters, single measures lapped with wood to shorten contents and measures dented for the same purpose. There are many sliding bottom measures with baskets both large and small below the standard.

There are three entire rows, forty feet in each, of family or "Monkey" scales of the cheap spring variety. There are also many equal balance scales and swinging spring scales of the hanging type. Many of them are of varied and quaint patterns. Some are merely pieces of cast metal and the action is necessarily slow causing great discrepancy in weight. Several scales are to be seen which have been

BOY ADMITS TURNING IN FIRE ALARM

The 12-year old son of Toni Cantoni, of 401 Shady avenue, acknowledged to Chief of Police C. W. Albright Thursday evening that he turned in fire alarm Wednesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock which caused the fire department to make the long run to the hill section. He acknowledged it before his parents, but they both declare that the boy is innocent, and that he says he did it because of fright.

Mike and Steve Begala, who live at 1108 Meadow avenue, near the alarm box have stated that they saw the Cantoni boy turn the alarm in. Some other boys also told the police that they saw the alarm turned in. It is said that another boy rung in the alarm just after the Cantoni boy. The matter has not yet been settled. Chief J. M. Fleming of the fire department stated Thursday evening that he intended to take the matter up with Borough Solicitor David M. McCloskey. It is a serious offense to report a false fire alarm. The borough offers a standing reward of \$50 for information that will lead to the arrest and conviction of persons bothering fire alarm boxes.

in use for nearly one hundred years. Several of these have upon them the stamps or seals of sealers back in the 50's, 60's and 70's. There are scales of every design and the inaccuracies of many are fully demonstrated.

RECEPTION OF PINCHOT HERE NOT FLATTERING

Brakeman Has Foot Crushed

Member Caught When He Attempts to Make Couple by New Method

Because the pose of an automatic coupler on a freight car on the P. & L. E. railroad was not in the right position Thursday morning when John Cameron, aged 25 years, attempted to make a coupling near the passenger station at Fayette City, he placed his foot against the coupler and as a result lost his left foot at the ankle.

Cameron is a member of the yard crew at the Fayette City yard. His home is at Fayette City. He has a wife and one child. The accident occurred about 9:20 o'clock Thursday morning and he was taken to the McKeesport hospital. If blood poison does not set in he will live.

PENROSE ASSAILS THE DEMS

Republican Candidate Speaks at Willow Grove

SWATS A. M. PALMER

Senator Boise Penrose Thursday followed Congressman A. Mitchell Palmer and Vance C. McCormick on the platform at the grangers' picnic at Williams Grove near Harrisburg and made tart rejoinder to the criticism of him. He declared that Palmer had sole control of the mental schedule in the Underwood tariff, which had slaughtered the industries of Pennsylvania, thereby earning the designation of the Benedict Arnold of Pennsylvania. He bitterly scored Vance C. McCormick for his action against union labor and his suddenly acquired love for humanity.

The senator said, in part: Mr. Palmer appeared before you yesterday and indulged in a lot of coarse abuse of himself and submitted facts for which there was no foundation whatever. I wish that someone in the audience that then confronted him had arisen and asked him, because they all knew he drew the mental schedule, why he drew a schedule that threw thousands of wage-earners out of employment. The senator said that he had just been through the Shenango valley where, too, men are idle in that industrial region because of Palmer's mental schedule. He continues:

When a man who has control of a schedule in a tariff bill assigned to him deliberately slaughters the industries of his own state, I say the only term to apply to his is the Benedict Arnold of Pennsylvania prosperity. Pennsylvania is a seething mass of

Washingtons Fail to Create Big Impression on Surprise Visit

ACHESON COMES ALONG

"Ernie" And Others From County Seat Travel Here and Keep Close to Hotel

Gifford Pinchot and other leaders of the so-called Progressive party failed to meet with either a flattering or an encouraging reception when they dropped in unexpectedly today at noon. Rather to the contrary they were coldly received. Even the elements were ill disposed.

Pinchot was accompanied by his wife and a few days, and a party of Washingtonians from Washington. Ernest F. Acheson, discredited boss of the county, made his first visit to Charleroi since those days when he was handed the merriest of swats politically. Others in the party were James Vinson, who is the Washington party secretary in the county, T. M. McBurney, T. B. H. Brownlee, a candidate for assembly, MacLean Libbey, of the Washington Observer, and David H. Biddle, whom the Philadelphia North American has assigned to Pinchot's tour.

Arriving at 11:45, the party stopped at the Wilbur Hotel. Some attempted to circulate. Others, and not Pinchot himself was satisfied to stand at the hotel, seemingly somewhat disappointed.

Comparatively few voters were met. Pinchot explained the situation by stating that they would be back Monday implying that then there would be doings.

From here the Pinchot party went to Bentleyville and from there they will travel by automobile to Waynesburg. Pinchot refused to discuss the proposed fusion of Democratic and Washington party state tickets, which during the last few days has been much talked of in the state.

BOY KNOCKED DOWN BY MOTORCYCLE BADLY HURT

In attempting to cross the street on his way to school at Monongahela Thursday, Harry, the ten-year-old son of Mrs. Joseph Newman of Eastory street, that city, was knocked down by a motorcycle ridden by John B. Braskey, of Woodlawn, and was seriously injured. He was carried to an unconscious condition to the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Young where he was given medical attention. It is feared he is injured internally.

union labor. If there is one proposition which stands paramount above all others it is the union of the wage earner to better his condition, his remuneration and his relation to his employer. I commend to their tender mercies the Democratic candidate for governor, Vance C. McCormick, who tore down from the Patriot the union label from the editorial page of the day. He acquired possession and put his own plutocratic and aristocratic name at the head of the column. Dr. Brumbaugh who followed the senator, reiterated the local opinion and other pledges of his platform.

J. K. Teuer, Pres. S. A. Walton, Vice Pres. R. H. Rusd, Cashier.

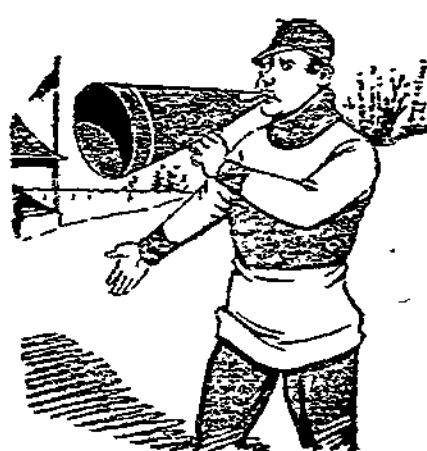
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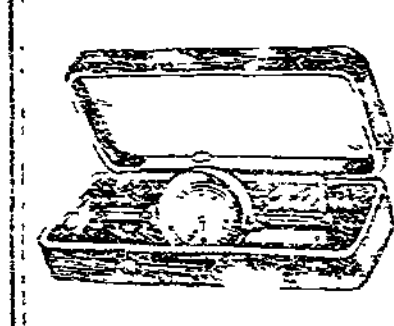
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THE ENCOURAGING WORD.

The encouraging word! What a little thing it is, and how far-reaching is its influence, how easily extended, and yet, how often is the opportunity neglected! Many an inspiring young worker has traveled the weary road to the borderland of success, has gazed across the river, perhaps, and seen the castles beyond, and then, like Moses of old, never has reached it, says the Indianapolis News. With the goal in sight, he has become weak with the disappointment of it all, laboring for months and years, with the hope that some day he might succeed, only to fail with success at hand. With the last river to be crossed, a word of encouragement—and encouragement may be none the less honest because it is encouragement—would have given him strength, would have convinced him that perhaps after all, his efforts had been worth while. But the friend who should have cheered him on failed—and the world was the loser.

Encouragement could turn a third of the failures of the world today into success. Battles have been won by words of encouragement, battles against self, against outside temptation, battles against a material, armed foe. Lending a hand is a duty that a man owes to his fellowman. It is not given to all mankind to be so strong that encouragement is not needed, nor is the mere fact that encouragement is a spur, a sign of weakness. Even success will fail to stimulate like a word of cheer.

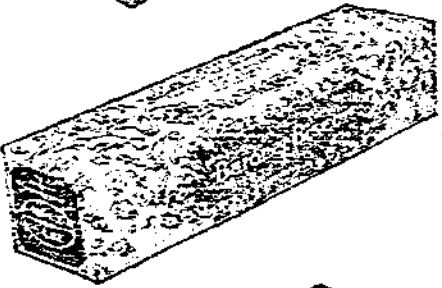
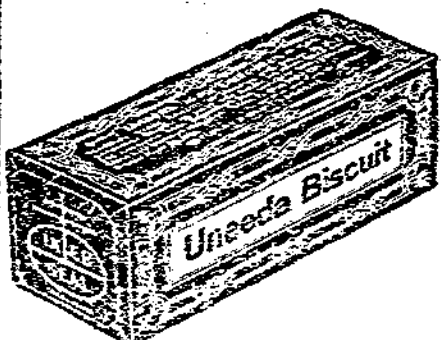
We notice that a friend has developed some talent that comes as a pleasant surprise to us. We feel a glow of pride that he has done things hitherto not expected of him. Tell him of it. The world is full enough of men—and women, too—fighting their battles all alone. Don't let the desire to congratulate a friend wane. Slap him on the back and say: "Old man, I noticed that last piece of work of yours, and I want to tell you that it's the best thing you've ever turned out! Do it again!" That is the duty you owe the world. The word of encouragement is necessary to combat the adverse current of pessimism that is always flowing down against mankind.

Encouragement is retroactive; it blesses him that gives and likewise him that receives. It broadens the giver's view, leads him to look for the better thing in life, convinces him that the world is not filled with "dumb driven cattle," but with living and breathing human beings. So that the word of cheer, if considered selfishly is still a good investment for the giver.

OUR SOUTH AMERICAN TRADE.

Few people in this country have any conception of the amount of trade which the countries of South America transact with other nations. But it is an enormous trade many of them doing an import business equal to that of some of the nations of Europe with this country. Naturally it would be expected, remarks the Washington Observer, that the United States would secure the greatest amount of business from the three great republics of South America, Brazil, Argentina and Chile as well as the other countries.

As a matter of fact England, Germany and France send more business to these three countries of South America than does the United States. Germany in particular is a heavy exporter to these countries and of goods and commodities which are manufactured in this country, glass, chemicals and much machinery and electrical appliances. Now that the nations of Europe are prevented from manufacturing by reason of the war this country should be able to supply the



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PICKED UP IN PASSING

Augustus and Elvira were at last having their looked-for day up the river. It was a day in July, and a chilling blast blew steadily from the northeast. It whistled through the spotless flannels that adorned the scraggy form of Augustus, and impudently penetrated the drapery that clung forlornly to Elvira. Making fast to a willow—appropriately of the weeping variety—the two proceeded to unpack the luncheon basket. Augustus was not an expert and the water had dribbled down his arm and frozen it nearly solid. So numb were his hands that he could hardly grasp the sandwich that Elvira handed him. The clouds grew blacker. The only bit of blue to be seen was the tip of Elvira's nose. They had just struggled through a sandwich apiece when the rain began. "Isn't it disgusting!" exclaimed the fair one. "Did you ever know such a summer?" "Y-y-yes," muttered Gus. "I-I-I last winter!"

THE STREET CAR CONDUCTOR SAYS

according to Roy K. Norton.
I can always tell when they are

married and I don't believe they ever fooled me yet. When they are not married he takes her gently by the arm and hoists her onto the platform as though she were a million dollars' worth of delicate china. Then he finds her a seat and dusts it off with his coat tail. When they are married she is lucky if she gets on at all. I believe half of the people in this world are sitting up plugged nickies to hand to the street car conductor and the other half are sitting up plugged dimes.

People have an idea that the street car conductor is a cross between an encyclopedia, a Webster's unabridged dictionary and a city directory. A woman asked me the other day to let her off in front of some place where she could sell a second-hand parrot and got sore because I couldn't do it. Wouldn't that freeze you?

ELECTRIC SPARKS

After mobilizing our finances we have decided to declare a moratorium.

Though both vary considerably, a line of waists and a waist line are two very different things.

Some people are so lazy they won't even formulate an excuse for doing nothing.

Returned Americans asked their first questions about the standing of the clubs. That's what we call real patriotism.

The man who talks the most about sympathy with his associates is the one who usually sympathizes the least.

The typist who could talk you to death about imperfect alignment doesn't know the meaning of wrong font type.

The most valuable man to the railroad is the man who can make the income shrink the most when occasion demands.

American people need not hike for the storm cellar, but it might be wise for them to look up a choice dug-out.

Prof. Grimm at high school when he faced a class of freshmen numbering 126 probably experienced some sort of feeling that the freshmen were altogether too fresh.

DEFORMATION OF CHARACTER CLAIMED AT FREDERICKS

Beatrice Bartenzetti, of Fredericks-town has filed a suit for \$3,000 for alleged defamation of character against Joseph Marco. A capias was issued for the defendant, his bail being fixed at \$500. She avers that the defendant at various times made statements charging her with being a woman of bad character and of having committed offenses against morality.

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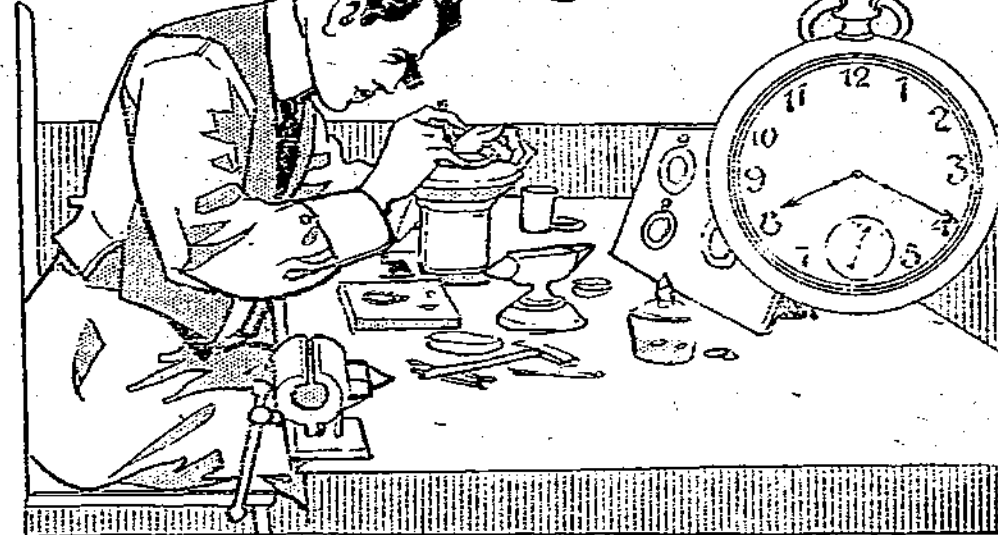
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COMMON SCOLD CHARGE AGAINST MONON WOMAN

At a hearing before Alderman R. C. Ellwood, at Monongahela, Mrs. Margaret Peel Will was held for court in the sum of \$300 bail, on a charge of being a common scold. Information was made by Mrs. Millie Ferree Stevenson. Mrs. Will was unable to furnish bail and was taken to the county jail Thursday by Constable Jericho.

The trouble grew out of a neighborhood quarrel, the two women residing near each other on Railroad street. Some 15 witnesses were heard. The testimony was of such an immoral nature that Alderman Ellwood had to call a halt several times.

In connection with the case develops the fact that Mrs. Will has a young daughter who is being reared amid environments that are anything but what they should be, and according to Alderman Ellwood who is conversant with the details owing to the many informations that have been brought before him against the mother, the case would bear investigation by the Juvenile court.

GLASS PLANT

TO BE STARTED

The plant of the American Window Glass company in New Eagle will start in full on Sunday evening next, beginning with the 6 o'clock shift, the usual three shifts working as in the past. Employment will be given to hundreds of skilled men while nearly 300 men will find employment, most

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The plant has been completely overhauled and many favorable changes made. The plant is now one of the largest of the kind in the country and will turn out much more glass.

**NUMEROUS AT
THE COUNTY FAIR**

Politicians of all political faiths were gathered at the county seat on

Thursday ostensibly to attend the county fair and particularly to meet voters and encourage support. All had headquarters established in charge of loyal party men. William M. Brown, Republican candidate for Congress from the twenty-fourth district, with a coterie of supporters created a fine impression. Others of the Republican party worked quietly.

A number from Charleroi were present to witness the publication and to meet with the candidates. The Democrats were elaborate in their program, as were the Washingtons.

The next meeting of the politicians form all parties will take place at Eldora park on Monday next, when they will assemble on special invitation of a Charleroi Labor Day committee. An effort has been made to get leaders of the three parties there to give all an equal opportunity to get in touch with the Monongahela valley voters.

DUNLEVY DROPS GOOD GAME TO CHARLEROI ON THE LOCHL FIELD

Charleroi's hopefuls won a pretty game as anyone would want to see from Dunlevy on the Lochl field Thursday evening by the score of 1 to 1. The leading factor in the tremendous victory was Pat Swaney.

This gentleman from Monessen pitched a three-hit game, had twelve strikeouts, scored two runs, drove in another run by an awful swing and batted out a double and a home run. Outside of that he wasn't very busy. Dunlevy had no chance to breathe so much as a hope until the eighth inning, when they were sharply presented with a run. Charleroi inflated their first in the third inning. Swaney led off by poking a double to right field, and went to second on Mather's out at first. Stark singled and so did Protin, which meant an easy score by Swaney. Another run was scored by Protin in the sixth on a single and an error.

In the seventh Charleroi had it easy again and tallied four runs. Ludwig, a 16 year old lad with the making of a real ball player stood up to the plate to be swatted in the ribs by Crowl. Swaney then knocked out his pretty home run. Mathers singled and stood at ease until Cratty landed one nearly to the left field fence for three bags.

Dooley singled for Dunlevy in the eighth. Patrick whiffed. Righter singled, and Dooley went third in an easy effort to catch Righter at second. Dooley came in.

LARGE ATTENDANCE AT FIRST EUCRE OF SERIES

There was a large attendance at St. Jerome's Lyceum Thursday evening at the first of the series of eucres being held during September. Mrs. Henry Wagner and Mrs. Anna M. Sullivan, assisted by Albert Brown had the affair in charge. Favors were awarded to Mrs. Poppendeck, Mrs. Rock, Messrs William Feeney, Daniel Shields and Karl Schmitler. Next Thursday evening eucra will be in charge of Mrs. James Turney and Mrs. James O'Neil.

DASHES INTO PASSENGER ALIGHTING FROM STREET CAR

Dashing his motorcycle as they were leaving a street car at Washington, William Potts, a young foreigner of Tyler ward, Washington injured three persons and was slightly hurt himself, besides damaging his machine. Chief of Police J. D. Bumgarner has entered information against Potts, charging violation of the traffic laws.

BAD BUSINESS BUGABOO

There is no Necessity for the Advance in Price of Necessities.

Europe is in the midst of a mighty slaughter. Her people are meeting with hardship and want. Business there has gone to the dogs. Every available commodity has been taken over to satisfy the war hunger and the source of supply has been cut off. But what about this country? The greatest wheat crop in history and more corn than was ever raised is the report of the Agricultural department. Therefore no necessity to raise prices.

In the clothing line there is as much necessity for the goods as ever. The American manufacturers are busy keeping up with the demand within our own borders and we can see no reason why at this time the public should be flched. As far as we are concerned they will not be flched.

Men need clothing at prices consistent with good judgment and they cannot find a better grade of Union Made Clothes than the Woodhill, Goodale & Bull brand, carried at the store of Murdock & McCarty, 511 McKean avenue, Charleroi. We have not inflated prices because of the war but rather have clipped off a little of our profit and are willing to give the consumer the benefit. We do this to show you that there is no sense of reason in the increase of prices of staple commodities. We have done the same in our elegant line of children's clothing.

Now that Europe is torn from one end to the other in strife you will not be thinking of taking a vacation across the water but will consider the beauty of our land. Therefore you will need one of our suit cases, traveling bags or trunks. They have not been increased in price for the purpose of gouging you, but on the contrary have been priced even lower than at many times before the war. If you want style and nobbiness in your hat come in and get one of the celebrated Trimble soft or stiff hats. The Arrow brand of shirts are top-notchers and just the kind you will want for this fall and winter.

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Men's \$8 and \$5.50 Suits, made by makers of good clothes—now **\$4.75**

Men's better grade suits in \$10 and \$12 values on sale now at **\$6.75**

Snappy Suits that sold for \$13.50 and \$15 going now at **\$8.75**

The best makes of Men's Suits, sold for \$18 and \$20, now selling at **\$10.75**

Boys' 2-piece Oliver Twist Suits, sizes 2 to 6 years—on sale now at **59c**

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AMONG THE THEATRES

STAR—CHARLEROI

At the Star Theatre this week a number of splendid features have been shown among which was "A Paradise Lost," an absorbing photoplay in four parts featuring the distinguished actress, Miss Betty Nansen. "Mera the Medium" telling of the mysteries of the unseen in three reels was one of the strongest photo-plays of the week. "Tracked Across the Desert," an Italian feature in three reels was shown Thursday. "The Widow's Mite" and "The White Slave Catcher," a one part comedy of the present time were good pictures. "Black Nissen" or "The Human Beast," in three parts is a Friday feature.

LYRIC—CHARLEROI

"Smashing the Vice Trust" a picture of human interest was shown on Monday and Tuesday at the Lyric theatre. "In the Days of Slavery," a southern drama portrayed the story of a young girl who was given in marriage by her father as a result of his failure to pay a debt. In a dream the maiden is acquainted with the real nature of her future husband. After many thrilling events her lover comes to the rescue and all is well. "The Indian Agent" a thrilling drama of frontier life was the chief attraction of Thursday's program. "The Codes of Honor" a sensational and interesting drama of society life displayed Miss Orma Hawley at her best. "A Woman Laughs" depicted the heartless mockery of a coquette.

COYLE—CHARLEROI

At the Coyle theatre Tuesday one of the best motion pictures shown was "The Gangsters and the Girl," a clever detective story in which a band of outlaws were outwitted and brought to justice by means of a secret service man who had joined their band. "A Frontier Romance" was the result of a movie actor who on account of his make-up was mistaken for a bandit and narrowly escaped death. A military drama, "Rescued by Wireless," "That's Fair Enough," "In Days of Old," "Charlie's New Suit" were other good pictures of the week. On Saturday the second installment of the serial picture "Trey O'Hearts" will be shown.

PALACE—CHARLEROI

William J. Ellick of Pittsburgh who appeared at the Palace theatre Monday evening was the first singer to appear at the Palace under the new arrangement of the management to have a singer every Monday night. Mr. Ellick, who has a splendid baritone voice rendered the popular success "Do You Take This Woman For Your Lawful Wife." A number of exceptionally meritorious photo-plays were shown chief among which was "The Eagle's Refuge," a three part drama. On Thursday "Exiled" one of the first of the European War pictures was shown. On Saturday "Across the Border," a thrilling picture in the production of which Miss Grace McHugh who played the leading role and a camera man lost their lives will be shown.

ALVIN—PITTSBURG

The Alvin Theatre will open its regular season with a special Labor Day matinee, Monday, September 7, when the attraction will be Sam Bernard in "The Belle of Bond Street." Mr. Bernard comes here direct from a successful engagement in this comedy at the Adelphia Theatre in London and the Schubert Theatre in New York, and is supported by an excellent cast of players including Mollie King, Florence Nugent Jerome, Ruby Norton, Sammy Lee, Cyril Chadwick, Hard Gordon, Jere McAuliffe and Charles Burrows. "The Belle of Bond Street" is an up-to-date version of the popular "The Girl from Kays," Jack Mason has staged the piece and a typical Bernard chorus gown by Melville Ellis is a feature. Among the song hits are "Who Paid the Rent for Mrs. Rip Van Winkle," "Hoggenheimer of Park Lane," "Prunella," "My Tango Maid," "The Tango Dip," and "Pierottland." A special orchestra under the direction of Leonard Horsey, who conducted in London, will be used here. The engagement is limited to one week, with matinees on Monday (Labor Day), Wednesday and Saturday.

GRAND—PITTSBURG

The interesting announcement is forthcoming from the executive offices of the Harry Davis Enterprises that Pittsburgh's season of vaudeville de luxe will begin at the Grand Opera House on the afternoon of Labor Day, Monday, September 7, with a program of acts that promises to eclipse the most brilliant lists of the past. The bill will be headed by two of the most popular and famous stars of comedy in the world: namely, Richard Carle and Hattie Williams. They are

to produce Sir J. M. Barrie's splendid little drama entitled "A Slice of Life," in which they will be assisted by the eminent extravaganza comedian of the David Henderson days, Henry Norman. This vaudeville coup, for coup it is, is possible through the good offices of Mr. Charles Frohman under whose management Mr. Carle and Miss Williams had toured the country in musical comedy during the last few seasons. It is interesting to note that "A Slice of Life" had its premiere in London and was first played in America during the short New York season by Miss Ethel Barrymore. It is a brilliant little play described by Sir James Matthew Barrie as an "advanced drama." That the efforts of these players to amuse will be supplemented by a coterie of other specialists from all the varied ranks of the entertaining profession, is a conclusion vouchsafed by Mr. Davis' reputation for doing big things and for providing a maximum of quality and artistry at a minimum of price to the public. Indeed, there is every prospect that a new season not only in its inaugural week but throughout the fall and winter will raise the standard of refined vaudeville to a point even above its splendid past in the Davis institutions.

PERSONALS

Misses Ada and Katherine Kauff visited at Pittsburgh Friday.

Thomas R. Eagye attended the Washington fair Friday.

Miss Angel Brunelle visited friends at Monessen Thursday evening.

Mrs. J. B. Tussing of Washington avenue was a visitor in Pittsburgh on Friday.

Carrol Gaut of Harrisburg is spending a vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Gaut.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hunter of Morgantown, W. Va., visited with relatives in Charleroi.

Mrs. Alvin Alexander and daughter Lucile, of Avalon are spending the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Lysle, on Fallowfield avenue.

See "Across the Border" at the Palace theatre Saturday. Two lives were sacrificed in the making of this amazing picture.

Mrs. C. E. Pahl and children who have been visiting with Mrs. Pahl's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hornell have returned to their home at Parkersburg, W. Va.

Miss Jessie E. Copeland left today for Erie, where she will visit relatives. She was accompanied by her nephew, Raymond L. Yenny, who has been visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Copeland during the summer vacation.

DUNLEVY TEAM PREPARED FOR LEAGUE OPENING

Stronger than ever will be the Dunlevy team of the Pittsburgh Press Soccer league this year. With this pennant winning organization of last year bettered by the acquisition of some of the stars of the Pricedale eleven which finished second, it will present an array of champs that will prove a severe obstacle to any of the other eleven clubs in the circuit.

Jack Barrass is the manager, and Peter Dooley is the captain. The goal position this year will be cared for by Baird. Barrass and Dooley will be at full back, and the halves will be played by Crowl, Hancock and Rosini. Rueroft, Craffi, M. Dooley and Hall will look after the forward places and Malarkey, a star of the first magnitude of last year's club, will be at center.

Dunlevy will open its season with Manown, on September 12 at Dunlevy. Practices are now being held and combinations being worked up.

There are twelve clubs in the Pittsburgh Press league, and they are divided into two divisions, known as the Panhandle and the Monongahela valley divisions. The Panhandle division consists of Beadland, Curry, Bridgeville, Morgan, Sturgeon, and Cecil. The Monongahela valley division includes the Dunlevy, Gallatin, Manown, New Eagle, Donora and Roscoe teams.

Each division plays the season through. Then the winners from each division meet in a series of three games for the championship at Forbes Field, the first game to be staged on December 26.

RACE PROGRAM FEATURES FAIR AT WASHINGTON

More than 19,000 persons passed through the gates into the grounds of the Washington Fair association Thursday at Arden Downs to witness the third day's exhibition. The attractions kept the crowds in the grounds until after 6 o'clock. Before that time very few people had left. The rush lasted until 8 o'clock Thursday night. In the infield more than \$50 automobiles were parked and nearly half the space was taken up by machines of all kinds, representing an estimated expenditure of over a million dollars.

Today marks the close of the four days' event and it is said that a representative crowd is present.

The racing was the chief feature Thursday. The running races and the mule race especially the latter were watched with much interest.

The show Thursday attracted persons from as far away as Chicago. In discussing the fair Thursday they stated that they had heard of Washington county stock in Chicago and as they were near here they made it a point to attend the fair and they stated that they were not disappointed, as the exhibits of stock they saw were first class. Robert J. McAfee, secretary of the commonwealth of Harrisburg was present together with many others from a distance.

The livestock departments and the halls were crowded to their limit throughout the day by persons inspecting the exhibits. The woman's department attracted many persons throughout as the work shown was of more than the ordinary quality. Specimens of all kinds of needle work were neatly displayed and the work as well as the manner of displaying was highly commended.

Another exhibit that attracted a great deal of attention Thursday was a basket of apples displayed by W. B. McKennan now past 80 years of age. Mr. McKennan has developed these apples from a seedling which he discovered along the roadside and transferred it to his orchard. The fruit is large and delicious and is known as "The McKennan." The display was with that of the Horticultural association of Washington county of which Mr. McKennan is a honorary member.

FRANCIS M. WARNE DIES AT HIS HOME IN MONONGAHELA

At the home of his sister, Miss Ella Warne, in the First Ward, at Monongahela, Thursday occurred the death of Francis Morton Warne, one of Monongahela's best known residents. Death was due to a complication of diseases from which he had suffered for the past year. Mr. Warne was born in Monongahela, December 30, 1864, and spent his boyhood days in and about Monongahela. In 1880 he left Monongahela and went to Greene county where he engaged in farming near Carmichaels. He is survived by his wife, six daughters and one son, together with five brothers and sisters. Funeral services were private Friday morning at 9 o'clock, from the late home, in First ward, and the body was taken on the 9:57 train to Carmichaels for interment.

BELLE VERNON AND CHARLEROI TO PLAY HERE

Tomorrow afternoon Charleroi and Belle Vernon baseball teams in the Monongahela valley league will play on the local lot. Swaney and Cratty will compose the battery for Charleroi and Yeaton and Allshouse for Belle Vernon.

Roscoe will play at Monessen and Dunlevy at Fayette City. The results of the Charleroi-Belle Vernon and the Dunlevy-Fayette City games are being watched closely.

Yesterday's Results.
Charleroi 6—Dunlevy 1.

Standing of the Clubs.

	W	L	Pct.
Fayette City	18	6	.750
Charleroi	13	8	.692
Monessen	13	8	.619
Roscoe	8	15	.348
Dunlevy	7	17	.292
Belle Vernon	6	15	.286

Games This Week.
Saturday—Belle Vernon at Charleroi, Roscoe at Monessen, Dunlevy at Fayette City.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE CHARLEROI SAVINGS AND TRUST CO., OF FIFTH STREET, CHARLEROI, WASHINGTON COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS AUGUST 27th, 1914

RESOURCES.

Reserve Fund:	
Cash, specie and notes	\$32,772.00
Due from approved reserve agents	52,295.81
Notes and cash items	1,335.53
Securities pledged for special deposit	1,163.22
Deposits	2,040.00
Assets held free, viz:	
Commercial paper	141,354.86
Loans upon call with collateral	10,887.25
Time loans with collateral	20,790.00
Loans secured by bonds and mortgages	2,319.30
Loans without collateral	49,533.33
Bonds, stocks, etc.	65,567.75
Real estate	181,441.58
Office Building and L. I.	45,331.75
Real estate	31,489.00
Furniture and fixtures	12,233.81
Overdrafts	53.84
Total	\$726,271.12

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	\$125,000.00
Surplus Funds	5,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	26,257.64
Individual deposits, subject to check (exclusive of trust funds and savings)	170,669.45
Time deposits, saving fund, (exclusive of Trust)	20,901.50
Deposits, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania	15,000.00
Deposits, U. S. Postal Savings	1,337.15
Deposits, Municipal	1,505.25
Dividends Unpaid	30.00
Treasure's and Certified Checks outstanding	72.75
Total	\$726,271.12
Amount of trust funds invested	\$214,151.46
Amount of trust funds uninvested	6,332.59
Total Trust Funds	\$220,484.05

CORPORATE TRUSTS
Total amount (face value) of Trusts under deeds of trust or mortgages, executed by Corporations to the Company as Trustee to secure issues of corporate bonds, including equipment Trusts, \$80,600.00
State of Pennsylvania, County of Washington, ss.:
I, E. W. Hastings, Treasurer of the above named Company, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
(Signed) E. W. HASTINGS, Treasurer.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day of September, 1914.
(Signed) GEO. W. RISBECK, Public.
My commission expires Feb. 21, 1915.
Correct—Attest:
(Signed) R. C. MOUNTS, C. R. PEREGRINE, TOM P. SLOAN, Directors.

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"ACROSS THE BORDER"
AT THE PALACE SATURDAY
Saturday's big feature at the Palace theatre will be "Across the Border" a military drama built around the recent trouble with Mexico. In the production of this film Miss Grace McHugh who played the leading part and a camera man lost their lives. The scene in which Miss McHugh lost her life showed her fording a stream on horseback. She was thrown into a current and carried down the stream. A camera man hastened to her rescue and together they succeeded in reaching a bar that proved to be quicksand and both perished.

Sells Property.
E. J. Charles, manager of the Real Estate department of the Charleroi Savings and Trust company, sold today to Herbert Geazion, the property owned by William May, located in Fallowfield township, consisting of three acres of land, two houses and a barn erected thereon.

Evans Opening
of new Fall millinery. 323 McKean avenue. 53-12.

CLASSIFIED ADS

FOR SALE—\$400 upright piano, good as new. A bargain to quick buyer. Inquire at 406 Mail office. 49-11

WANTED—Seamstress. Apply at People's store, 536 Fallowfield avenue. 50-11

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FOUND—Set of teeth. Owner may have same by calling at Mail office and paying for this add. 53-12.